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FARMERS' INSTITUTE

Many Topics Discussed by Able Speakers and Agriculturists

IMPROVING RURAL SCHOOLS

The Farmer's Institute at Middletown on Wednesday had special features because this is a central point and many of the farmers who attended at Townsend and Odessa were present at Middletown, the attendance being large at every session. The meeting was opened by Prof. Wesley Webb of Dover, who discussed soil fertility. This subject has been discussed at every Institute, and farmers realize that the productivity of the land is a basic matter underlying all successful and profitable agriculture. Prof. Harry Hayward discussed this subject at Middletown dealing with tillage, the making, saving, and using farm manures, the use of cover crops, especially the legumes like crimson clover, vetch, soy beans and cow peas. Prof. Hayward also discussed the value of tile draining and stated that he hopes the Experiment Station Station will be able to purchase a ditch-digging machine, a sort of special dredge that digs at one-half the cost of hand labor—better ditches than can be dug by hand. This machine will be used to demonstrate the value of drainage in different parts of the state.

Prof. T. F. Manns gave in detail the work that has been done to determine the value of farm manure and different forms of phosphate. By a proper mixture of phosphate rock, either dissolved by sulphuric acid or undissolved, with farm manure, this manure is worth more than $4 a ton, at least it gives crops valued at more than $4 and the soil is also permanently improved. The only way to use the undissolved rock is to mix this rock with manure or use it on a heavy clover sod.

The subject of plant diseases, especially of white potatoes was discussed. Potato diseases are controlled by proper spraying and rotation of crops.

Prof. Hapward gave a talk on pork—its breeding, growth and sale. He thinks hogs next to chickens are the most profitable of all farm animals. If it costs six cents per pound to raise pork which will sell for ten cents or possibly twelve cents, it seems to be decidedly to the farmer's advantage to raise and sell hogs.

The afternoon session was opened with a discussion on white potato growing, Mr. E. A. Rodgers of Maine, leading off by giving his experience in the Pine Tree State. He plows his land deep nine or ten inches, harrows it down well and plants in June. The seed potatoes are soaked in formaldahyde, cut and planted immediately. He advised planting the Irish Cobbler variety. This variety turns dark when exposed to the sun, other varieties do not turn dark, so by applying this test, we can have true Irish Cobbler potatoes. He would use sod ground and apply a 4-8-10 fertilizer, using about half a ton at planting time and another half ton per acre after the plants come up.

Miss Edna Crossland of St. Georges gave a delightful piano solo.

Dr. A. D. Cronwell of West Chester Pa., a man of wide experience, gave an instructive talk on Improving the Rural Schools. There are fine secrets for improving the schools; (1) More Money; (2) Better Organization; (3) An Increased course of study; (4) Better Supervision; (5) Rural Life Leadership. He urged that agriculture be taught in the schools and said that all the books used seem to be made for the town children rather than country children. Prof. Cronwell talked for a quarter of an hour to the school children and when he spoke to the boys urged them to let alone tobacco stating that there are generally seventeen per cent more girls, than boys who graduate from a high school He was surprised when informed that in the June graduating class in the Middletown schools, there are seven boys and three girls.

Dr. Charles A Wagner gave a talk on the cost of maintaining the public schools of the state and the relative good received by the children from the money expended

The total expenditure for New Castle County schools, (outside of Wilmington), is $286,273; Expenditure where the children receive direct benefit $179,863. Dr. Wagner urged the teachers to have faith in the children, and the parents to believe that the best in the children can be brought out only by sending them to school regularly.

The evening program was:- Breeds and breeding poultry, Dr. Fred H. Stoneburn; Farm Drainage, lantern slides, J. R. Haswell, U. S. Drainage engineer; Agricultural education, Prof. Hayward; Our Public Schools, Prof. Wagner; Growing and breeding corn, lantern slides, Dr. Cronwell.

ICE CREAM IN MID-WINTER

Middletoown Farms Dairies, at Middletown, Del., believe in newspaper advertising all the year round. Among other things in the quality line the Farms handles Ice Cream, selling large quantities throughout the Delaware and Maryland Peninsula all the year round. Even in midwinter they have found it profitable to advertise their ice cream with the result that they have built up a large trade in this and other towns.

OUR FRIENDS AND VISITORS

Personal Items About People You See and Know

Mrs J. Cann is spending some time with relatives down the State.

Mrs. J. Frank McWhorter has been ill with a severe attack of grippe.

Miss Eugenia Beasten and Miss Jean Metten spent Tuesday in Dover.

Mrs S. B. Foard has her sister Mrs. Stavely, of Lynch's Md., for a visit.

Dr. G. Burton Pearson, of Wilmington, spent Sunday with his wife here.

Miss Prudence Lewis has returned from a visit with New Jersey relatives.

Mrs. John C. Corbit and daughter Ann have been visiting in Wilmington.

Mrs. A. Fogel will spend next week in New York buylng Spring Millinery.

Mrs. Ella H. Penington has returned home after a visit with relatives here.

Miss Ethel Gill, of near Chesapeake City, Md., spent part of last week in Middletown.

Mr. G. N. Gill and Mr. Joseph Cassidy, of Philadelphia, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. John D. Gill.

Mrs. J. Frank Biggs has her mother Mrs. Lusby, of Cecilton, Md., for a guest.

Miss Eliza Cochran, of Elwyn, Pa., spent Tuesday and Wednesday with relatives here.

Rev. and Mrs. Holmead, of Wilmington, were guests of Dr. and Mrs. W. S. P. Combs on South Broad Street.

John J. Hoffecker, of Philadelphia, spent last Sunday at the home of his father Mr. J. R. Hoffecker.

Miss Laura Cochran. of Philadelphia, has been spending some time at the home of her sister Mrs. W. T. Connellee.

Mrs. T. E. Lindley and Miss Madeline Tatman spent part of this week with the family of Mr. Harry Griffith, near Sassafras, Md.

Miss Nellie Rothwell was called to Philadelphia this week because of the illness of her brother John P. Rothwell.

The following clergyman of the Diocese of Delaware were visitors this week with Rev. and Mrs. Percy L. Donaghay, at St. Anne's Rectory, Rev. William A. B. Holmes, of St. Paul's Georgetown, Rev. Thomas G. Hill of St. Peter's Smyrna, and Rev. Charles H. Holmead, Jr., assistant rector of St. John's Wilmington, Delaware,

ODESSA

Mr. Mailly Davis, of Wilmington, was a Sunday visitor at his home here.

Miss Minnie Armstrong, of Newark, spent Sunday with her parents here.

Mr. C. Price was a Wilmington visitor this week.

Mr. M. Robinson was a visitor in Baltimore on Sunday last.

Miss Anne Trice visited her home in Harrington last week.

Mr. Harry Heller, of Chester, is spending a few days this week with his parents here.

Miss G. C. Enos, of Wilmington, was an over Sunday visitor with her parents last week.

Mrs. A. B. Berry is spending this week with her daughter Mrs. William Wilson, near Middletown.

Mr. Clark Coppage, of New York City, spent part of this week with his mother.

Mr. George Heldmyer was an over Sunday visitor with friends in New Castle.

Captain Woodall, of Wilmington, spent Saturday and Sunday at his home here.

Mr. Moody Robinson, principal of the Odessa School, will speak in Drawyers Presbyterian Church, next Sabbath night, on the Temperance question. He is a fine speaker and all are invited to hear him.

CHESAPEAKE CITY

Miss Mary Walters has been spending several days past with Miss Anna Dunham.

Mr. Jack Johnson, of Newark, Del., was an over Sunday guest at the home of Mr. William Byers.

Miss Marion Ott has been visiting Miss Felicita Slicher during the past week.

Mr. Roger K. Williams, of Annapolis, Md., spent Saturday and Sunday with his mother Mrs. Laura Williams.

Miss Irene Byers spent Friday and Saturday last with Miss Agnes Davidson, of near town.

Miss Sarah Price, of Bethel, has been the guest of Miss Lena Pierce during the past week.

Miss Marian Conrey, of Philadelphia, has returned after a visit with her grandmother Mrs. Mary Conrey.

Miss Katherine McDonald, of Wilmington, Del., has returned after a pleasant stay with friends in and near town.

Heed This

The "Rugles Family" and "The Flowers that Talk" invite you and your family to be entertained by them in the P. O. S. of A. Hall, Port Penn, Wednesday evening, Feb. 25th at 7.30 o'clock, admission 10c. Refreshments for sale after entertainment.

TO GIVE LUNCHEON

The Board of Commerce will Entertain Peninsula Merchants

INVITATIONS WILL BE SENT OUT

A luncheon and reception to leading business men of the Peninsula is the next big function planned by the Chamber of Commerce. This luncheon to about 250 leading merchants of Delmarvia cities and towns is one of the suggestions made by the mercantile sections of the association, which the board of directors will carry out. It is expected to prove a strong link toward familiarizing Peninsula merchants with the numbers and importance of jobbing houses in Wilmington in addition to improving retail trade.

Invitations to this luncheon will be sent to the mayors, merchants, and other citizens of all towns on the Peninsula, and acceptances from at least 200 can be expected, according to the active spirits of the trade association. The primary object is to acquaint down-the-peninsula business men with opportunties for trade which has never been fully realized. The feeling is that the mayors and merchants particularly of the small towns can best be disseminiated about Wilmington trade opportunities. The function will be planned as a "get together" affair. The success of the peninsula editors' dinner has caused the chamber board of directors to realize that there are vast potential avenues of mutual trade on the Delmarvia Peninsula which Wilmington and the lower counties are not now making the most of. No time has yet been set for the proposed luncheon.

SALES TO TAKE PLACE

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 23.—Public Sale of farming implements, etc. by Charles S. Ellison, Jr., on the Colonel Clayton property, on the Choptank Road, about four miles north of Middletown.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 25.—Public Sale of personal property, by W. C. Money, on Salem farm, 3 miles west of Clayton.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY, 24th, 1914.—Public sale of stock, farm implements, &c., by J. Oliver Foracre, on the Evans farm, 3 1-2 miles west of Townsend. D. P. Hutchison, auctioneer.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY, 26th, 1914.—Public sale of stock. farm implements, &c., by James H. Batten, at his residence in Red Lion hundred. George F. Davis, auctioneer.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY, 26th, 1914.—Public sale of stock, farming implements and household gooods, by George Insoloe, on the road from Taylor's Bridge to Fieldsboro. D. P. Hutchison, auctioneer.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 25th.—Public Sale of Personal Property, on the J. Frank Biggs farm, at Summit Bridge, Del.

JOHN W. SARTIN, JR.
Eugene Racine, Auctioneer.

THURSDAY, MARCH 5th, 1914.—Public sale of stock, farming implements, &c., by William T. Golt at his residence, Summit Bridge. Eugene Racine, auctioneer.

TOWNSEND

Mrs. Etta LaRue and Mr. Fred Veile of Aberdeen, Md., visited Clarence Greenwood and wife the past week.

Mrs. John Townsend returned home Monday after spending two weeks with relatives in Wilmington and Philadelphia.

Mrs. Myrtle Beardsley is spending part of this week in Wilmington.

Jerone Kennedy, of Camden N. J., visited his cousin Mrs. L. L. Maloney Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Rothwell, of near Smyrna, spent the week-end with her aunt Miss India Deakyne.

Miss Lillian Hart visited Miss Neese, of Clayton on Sunday.

Clayton Foxwell is the guest of his nephew Ernest Weldon and family.

Mrs. Lucy Hurlock was the guest of her sister-in-law Mrs. Hurlock the past week.

Mrs. Jerone D. Niles left town Tuesday for Millsboro, Pa., where she will attend the funeral of her mother. Mrs. Niles has the sympathy of her many friends here in her sad bereavement.

Revival meetings continued last week during week. At the service Sunday morning 20 joined church, and Mr. Mezsic anddaughter left town on Monday.

Bethesda Church Notes

Sunday, Feb. 22d—Public worship and sermon, subject "For Jonathan's Sake."

2 P. M.. Sunday School. Baraca Class meets at same hour.

7.30 P. M., preaching, subject, "Lessons from the Life of Washington," patriotic service. All members of the Brotherhood and the Jr. O. U. A. M. are cordially invited.

TO MY MILK PATRONS

After March 1, 1914, I will discontinue the retail milk business in Middletown. I will sell the entire outfit including wagon, bottles, good will, fixtures and twenty-one first class grade Guernsey cows to any one desiring to go in the retail milk business.

J. C. ALSTON.

Rev. Donaghay Will Remain

The Rev. P. L. Doeaghay, Rector of St. Anne's parish, who resigned last week, has recalled his resignation, much to the fratification of the Vestry, and parishioners.

ST. ANNES' CHURCH NOTES

Sunday, February 22nd. Quinquagesima Sunday.

Order of Service:—Morning Paryer and Sermon at 10.30.

Sunday School Session at 11.45.

Evening Prayer and address at 7.30.

Wednesday of next week is Ash Wednesday, the first day of the Forty Days of Lent, and the Season will be kept in St. Anne's Parish with extra services and devotions.

Service:—Ash Wednesday, Morning Prayer, Litany and Penitential Service at 10.30.

Evening Prayer and Sermon at 7.30.

Devotional Service on Friday afternoons at 3.30.

Service every Wednesday evening with sermon by one of the Special Lenton Preachers. On March the fourth, the Rev. H. B. Phelps, Rector of St. Thomas's Church, Newark, Del , will be the preacher.

A Word as to What is Lent

The word itself is derived from a Saxon word which means "Spring" Etymologically the Lenton Season means the spring season, and has no spiritual significance. We, however, give it a spiritual character by the use we make of it.

It is a spiritual spring-time when the deep, full plowing into the consciences of the people—when a generous sowing of the Word of God—will later on bring forth a rich harvest of souls, sanctified and made like unto the Son of God and of deeds holy and good, like His. It is a time when a man puts his soul on trial; examines vigorously its motives and doings; judges it by what God requires, and sees where it stands in its progress heavenward.

It is time when the repentent soul, like the Prodigal Son, arises and goes home to his Father and says: "I have sinned," and feels the joy of forgiveness in His loving embrace and kiss. It is a time of spiritual refreshment for honest souls seeking God.

It is commemorative of the forty days of fasting and prayer which our Savior spent in the wilderness and during this season we learn the wilderness lessons of life.

It is the preparation for the great Feast of Easter—the festival of victory over sin and death, and every one who keeps Lent well can rejoice in the victories that have secured to him a "risen life."

SUNDAY SCHOOL INSTITUTE

The following interesting program of the St. Georges Hundred Workers' Institute was presented in Forest Presbyterian church, on Feb. 20th.

Devotional Service.
Round Table "Our County S. S. Association."
(1) What is the relation to the State?
(2) What is the value of the Hundred organization?
(3) How can work be made more effective?
(4) What is the County goal?
(5) Name the various workers in the County and Hundred.
(6) Give an outline of their work?
(7) How can the officers help the department workers?
(8) What is the work of the Hundred Secretary?
(9) How can money be raised for County, State and International work?
(10) Can the County Secretary get a report from every school? How?
(11) Sunday School Reoords; Why needed? How Kept?
Grading and Grade Work:
Why needed? What is it? How start it? Grading a small school; Grading a large school.
Miss Grace Baird
Questions
Afternoon Session.
Prayer and Praise.
Some thinge we can do.
The Home Department.
Goal; How organized? Effect on the School; Goal for the County.
Miss Jennie McIntosh
Missionary Goal.
Why needed? What is it? How reach it?
Financial Goal.
Why needed? How much? How best collected? Ways of raising same?
H. C. Downward.
Questions.
Adjournment.

Entertained at Bridge

The member of the Bridge Club with a few friends were entertained by Miss Susan J. Foard on Wednesday at her home on Cass street. The first prize was won by Mrs. G. Lindsey Cochran; the second by Mrs. G. L. Townsend; Consolation by Mrs. Cochran; Guest's prize by Mrs. John C. Green and Guest's Consolation by Mrs. Staveley, of Lynchs, Md.

Variety Shower

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Reynolds were given a variety shower on last Thursday evening, at their home near Kirkwood. The affair was arranged by their neighbors and friends and was held on the tenth anniversary of their marriage. Mrs. Reynolds received a number of pretty gifts, and a delightful evening was passed.

FOR SALE—Two cars of choice Seed Potatoes. These potatoes will be shipped to me direct from Fort Fairfield Arvostook County, Maine, and will be sold under a guarantee to be absolutely pure. I have just received a sample of these potatoes and they are now at my office for your inspection.

S. B. FOARD.

THE D. & C. CANAL

A Bill For Gonernment Ownership Before the Committee

ESTIMATED VALUE $5,348,071

Government ownership of the Chesapeake and Delaware Canal, as contemplated in a bill that has just been approved by the House Rivers and Harbors Committee in Washington, is virtually assured, according to legislators interested in the development of the proposed Atlantic intracostal canal system. Coming with the movements for deeper channel digging and the development of the Philadelphia Navy Yard, this is taken to presage a new era of commercial activity for the entire territory drained by the Delaware River.

While $1,300,000 has been designated by the Congregational Committee for the canal purchase, Representative J. Hampton Moore and other canal advocates, believe this will not be sufficient. Army engineers recommended $2,600,000.

On top of this comes a statement by G. L. Nicholson, of Philadelphia, president of the Chesapeake and Delaware Canal Company, that the estimated physical value of the canal is $5,348,071. In letters to army engineers, President Nicholson advised that $3,989,365 had been expended on the canal up to May, 1887.

In this initial appropriation of $1,300,000, however, members of Congress from Pennsylvania, Delaware and Maryland foresee a victory for the Atlantic inland waterways chain. They pronounce the appropriation a congressional indorsement of the project of extending the intracostal system northward, and believe it eventually will be pushed as far as Boston. The next step will be the purchase of the Delaware and Raritan Canal, to connect the upper Delaware with New York bay.

Army engineers say the improvement of the Chesapeake Canal will boom Delaware River commerce. The yearly tonnage of the canal amounts to 720,000, which at an average of 22 3-4 cts. a ton, makes the annual tolls $165,000. It is prophesied that when the canal is improved its commerce will increase to $14,000,000 annually, and that shipping interests will be saved $550,000 annually.

The opening of the Chesapeake Canal will be the second step in the intracostal development. The Government last year purchased the Chesapeake and Albermarle Canal, connecting the lower Chesapeake with the North Carolina Sounds. The sum of $5,240,000 is to be spent in constructing a 12-foot channel 100 feet wide from Norfolk to Beaufort, N. C., of which $2,204,000 already is available.

Supporters of the system are not alarmed over the cutting of the appropriation for the Delaware Canal. They think that if the $1,300,000 should not be sufficient, other appropriations will be obtained through other legislation. The company's stock is said to be worth little. Bonds to the amount of $2,600,000 are said to be outstanding, their market value being from 48 to 50.

Forest Church Notes

The members of Forest Presbyterian Church will observe tomorrow, Sunday, as "every body go to church day." The pastor, Rev. Francis H. Moore, will preach a sermon appropriate to the occasion, and the choir will give extra music. Dr. Moore asks all members and friends of the church to be pressnt at the services.

The Sacrament of the Lord's supper will be administered on Sunday morning, March 8th, and will be preceded by two weeks of special services, beginning next Sunday.

The pastor will be in the Sunday Library room every Saturday afternoon at o'clock for meeting those considering uniting with the Church.

Death of Cyrus V. Jacquith

Mr. Cyrus V. Jacquith, retired counsel for the C. C. C. & St. L. Rv. formerly of Cincinnati, Ohio, died at five o'clock on last Saturday afternoon, at the Drexel Apartments, Atlantic City, N. J., aged about 66 years. Mr. Jacquith is survived by his wife and one daughter Mrs. J. Allen Johnson, of this town. The funeral services were held in St. Annes Church, Middletown, on Tuesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, with interment in St. Annes' cemetary. Rev. Percy L. Donaghay had charge of the services at the church and the Rev. Mr. Hill, of Smyrna, had charge at the grave. The pall bearers were: Jefferson B. Foard, William A. Comegys, J. Frank Pennington, Walter Beasten, John S. Crouch and William Shallcross.

Century Club Notes

The members of the New Century Club were pleasantly entertained on Tuesday evening, by Miss Eliza P. Cochran, of Elwyn, Pa., who gave a talk on Dalmatia. Miss Cochran had a number of pictures descriptive of the country which were appreciated by the ladies. Besides the members of the club a number of visitors were present. On Thursday evening, Prof. Paul M. Pearson, of Swathmore, Pa., gave a lecture-recital "Kipling" in the Club room. On next Tuesday the program will be—Library Day. Mrs. C. A. Hoffecker, chairman.

LOCAL NEWS

CUT FLOWERS for sale at my house at all times.

MRS. ELIZA STEELE

Dr. Warren S. P. Combs Dentist. Successor to the late Dr. J. C. Stites.

FOR SALE—Two cars of CHOICE SEED POTATOES shipped direct from HOULTON, MAINE. Also, one car load of CHOICE SEED OATS stored in our warehouse.

JESSE L. SHEPHERD.

FOR SALE—Indian Runner duck eggs, 60c per setting.

HERMAN D. CONNER.
Phone No. 224-13, Middletown, Del.

FOR SALE—I purchased my Bran before the recent advance and can give you a very attractive price.

S. B. FOARD.

Unclaimed Letters—The following list of Letters remaining unclaimed in the Post Office, for week ending February 12—Mrs. Mary S. Robinson, Miss Annie S. Clark. Mr. Henry Moffett and W. C. Warmacker.

HIGH GRADE LEHIGH COAL always in stock and under cover, guaranteed free from dirt.
Phones 5 and 48.

JESSE L. SHEPHERD.

Fire from an exploding lamp caused alarm at the home of Mr. Merritt N. Willits, near town, on Tuesday evening. The curtains in the room caught fire, the rug was burned and the paper smoked. Fortunately the fire was put out before much damage was done.

DEATH OF MR. JARRELL

Alexander Jarrell died at his home in Delaware City, Friday afternoon, the 13th of February, 1914 Of him it may be truly said that he belonged to that class of men in whose character is expressed the truest ideals of American life; whose industry, sober poise, and christian virtue, have, in times of of peace, contributed mightily to the development and material progress of their country, and to the protection of her institution; and whose unfaltering courage and vicarious sacrifice in times of war, bore her flag through blood and peril, and with their sword, maintained her honor.

He came of sturdy stock. His grandfather, John Corse, of Little Creek Hundred, Kent County, Delaware, whose red blood flowed too strong to be curbed by the peaceful tenets of his Quaker breeding, joined the First Delaware Regiment under Col. Haslet, in the barracks at Dover, and bore the flag at Long Island, and soon thereafter received a Captain's commission, and starved and suffered and fought with his regiment through the war of the American Revolution. Alexander Jarrell, true to the traditions of his race, at blazing out of the "Civil War," eighteen years of age, heard Lincoln's call, and leaving a widowed mother, (who, like thousands of other mothers, gladly laid her son on her country's altar) took up his rifle and joined that other First Delaware Regiment, whose record is written in the history of the Army of the Potomac. Where the Army of the Potomac marched, he marched, and where it fought, he fought: At the White Oak Swamps, Antietam, Petersburg, Chancellorsville, Gettysburg, The Wilderness, Appomattox.

At the battle of The Wilderness, he was wounded and taken prisoner, and laid in "Libby Prison," suffering with his wound and fever, till waisted to a mere shadow, was exchanged; and after a few weeks in the hospital at Washington, determined to "be in at the death," rejoined his Regiment and was on the fighting line at Appomattox, where he lost his left leg at the thigh

The war ended, he quietly and unobtrusively took his way in the pursuits of peace; first telegrapher, and then school teacher. Teaching proved detrimental to his health, and he therefore withdrew from the school room, bought a small farm in Kent county, Delaware, and was married to Mary Mannering, of Indiana, who was distantly related to his mother's family.

As the years went on he suffered more and more from his old wounds, and his once iron constitution began to give way. For this cause, he sold his farm, and turned again to the scenes of his boyhood at Delaware City, where he built a dwelling, and amid the quietude of village life, passed the remnant of his eventful life, dying at the age of 72.

About seven years ago, his wife, Mary Mannering, died and he subsequently married Mrs. Lena E. Hickey, who survives him. He was one of a family of five, residing near Middletown, Del. He was a consistent member of the Methodist Episcopal Church, given to hospitality, generous to a fault, a christian gentleman.

On Monday afternoon his friends bore him away to his last bivouac and laid him to rest beside his wife and mother, till the call of the last reveille shall quicken him to the resurrection of the just.

"Soldier, rest! thy warfare o'er,
Dream of fighting fields no more;
Sleep the sleep that knows not breaking,
Morn of toil, nor night of waking."

"No rude sound shall reach thine ear,
Armor's clang, or war-steed champing,
Trump nor pibroch summon here
Mustering clan, or squadron tramping,
Soldier, rest! thy warfare o'er."

THE STABLE BURNED

Seven Horses Saved in Nick of Time in Fire on Reynolds Farm

FARM HAND SAVES STOCK

While William L. Reynolds, residing on the state road near Blackbird, and his family were attending the social at the home of James A. Buckson, on Tuesday evening of last week, Mr. Reynolds was summoned to the telephone to hear that his stable was on fire. The social immediately broke up and friends and helping hands rushed with Mr. Reynolds to the scene of the fire. Through the bravery and timely action of William Ford, of Philadelphia, who lives with the Reynolds family, all the stock was saved before the fire gained sufficient headway. A bucket brigade was formed of the members of the social party, and residents from Blackbird and Townsend. Every effortwas made to keep the flames from spreading to the other outbuildings and the residence. They succeeded in confining the flames to the stable which burned completely down including the hay and other contents. It was an all nights fight in the bitter cold. William Ford is coming in for much praise for his pluck and heroism. Being the only one home at the time, his attention was attracted by the horses kicking in the stable and going to the door he discovered flames shooting out the top of the loft. Knowing that he must act quickly to save the seven head of horses that were stalled there, he worked like a trojan through the smoke and fire until he had every horse out. Some of them had to be blind-folded, because too frightened to be led out. After leading the horses to safety, he tore down the fence to the cow pound and let all the cattle out. With the stock out of danger he went back to the house, rushed to the telephone, gave alarm to the Mr. Reynolds and nearby neighbors. The origin of the fire is unknown. The loss will amount to $1000 or $2000. Mr. Reynolds will rebuild.

"OUR WIVES"

The Odessa Athletic Club, will present the farce comedy "Our Wives," in the Town Hall in Odessa, on Tuesday evening, February 24th. The play will be presented by local talent, and the same able cast that pleased a large audience a few weeks back, will render the comedy.

A pleasing feature of the evening will be the dance after the performance, and Pool's Orchestra is always an attraction worthy of note.

The cast follows:

Roswell Chandler, a retired merchant... Mr. W. Lee Pennington,
Walter Blair, his son-in-law.....Mr. Percy Wallace.
Oscar Siebel, a composer....Mr. William W. Rose.
Lloyd Deveaux, a chronic invalid....Mr. William C. Keegan.
John Stanton, a detective .....Mr. Norman Paul Ward
Mallory, a reporter.....Mr. Walter J. Weist.
Ford, an express man.....Mr. Wilbert F. Ward.
Gilda Devaux, wife of Devaux.....Miss Mary Aspril.
Mrs. Chandler, wife of Roswell.....Miss Mary Lightcap.
Beattie Blair, wife of Walter.....Mrs. W. Lee Pennington.
Julia, a maid .....Miss Margaret Emily Webb.

Queen Esthers Surprise Pastor

The Queen Esther Circle held their regular business meeting at the home of Miss Lula Vinyard Tuesday evening, after which they adjourned to the Methodist parsonage and spent a delightful evening. Their coming was unknown to Dr. Wyatt, was greatly surprised. Games and music were enjoyed and refreshments of ice cream and cakes were served. Those present were: Mrs. S. J. Brockson, Mrs. W. T. Pearce, Jr., Mrs. Mae Moore, Misses Mary Richards, Anna Denny, Lottie Jolls, Lillian Melvin, Lulu Vinyard, Ada Scott, Lena Weber, Viola Weber, Marian Vinyard, Edith Spry, Orah Spry, Mildred Freeman, Mary Culver, Irene Reed, Edna Brynes and Bessie Doolittle.

Richards--Harkins Wedding

Mr. George F. Richards, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. George Richards, and Miss Nellie Harkins, of this town, were married on Monday in Wilmington, at St. Paul's M. E. parsonage by Rev. Vaughan S. Collins. They were attended by the groom's sister Miss Mary E. Richards, and Mr. Elwood I. Banning. After a short wedding trip they returned to their new home on East Lake street. Their many friends wish them many years of happy wedded life.

Golden Jubilee

A golden Jubilee, semi-centennial of Pythian Knighthood, was held by Damon Lodge, No. 12, Knights of Pythias, in their lodge room Thursday evening, February 19th. The opening exercises was by the Chancellor Commander, assisted by the officers, followed by a declaration of the principles of the order by the Vice-Chancellor; singing by Damon Lodge choir, assisted by the ladies of the M. E. Church choir; and an address by Rev. Vaughan S. Collins, of Wilmington, concluded with a history of Damon Lodge by Joseph C. Jolls.

HONOR MEMORY OF MAINE DEAD

Impressive Services Held at Fort Meyer.

EXERCISES HELD INDOORS.

Snow-Covered Graves At Arlington Cemetery Covered With Flowers and National Salute Is Fired By Bluejackets.

Washington.—Homage to the men of the battleship Maine who lost their lives in the epoch-making catastrophe in Havana Harbor 16 years ago was paid Monday by the Navy and high officers of the nation at Arlington National Cemetery. Snow-covered mounds over the sleeping warriors were decorated with floral tributes and a stanch little vessel plowed through the ice floes of the Potomac to strew sprigs of evergreen on the water. Over the graves a detachment of bluejackets fired three volleys and a national salute and a bugler sounded "taps."

Impressive exercises were held indoors at Fort Meyer, the blizzard making it impossible to carry out the full program arranged for the occasion at the cemetery. Hundreds had braved the freezing blasts, however, to participate in the ceremonies at the graves.

President Wilson, confined by his physician's orders to the White House, sent a beautiful floral tribute. President Menocal, of Cuba, cabled an expression of the reverence of his government for the dead of the Maine. His message expressed deep regret that he could not participate in the services, and added, "but my mind will be with you all, for I have to mourn with you for the brave officers and sailors of the Maine."

Orations were delivered at Fort Meyer by Commander-in-chief Washington Gardner, of the Grand Army of the Republic; Representative Logus, of Pennsylvania; the Rev. Eugene A. Hannan, representing the Rev. Mr. Chadwick, who was chaplain of the Maine, and by John McElroy, of the Army and Navy Union.

Secretary Daniels, of the Navy Department, and the official heads of a number of patriotic organizations were present. John McElroy suggested that the memorial was typical of "all men who on land or sea had given the full measure of devotion to the country's laws by dying under its flag."

Rear Admiral Sigsbee, in command of the Maine when the vessel went to the bottom of Havana harbor, sent from New York a letter of regret that he could not be here. Former President Taft, who was invited to be one of the speakers of the day, also sent regrets.

SIX INJURED AT FIRE.

Students Of Blackstone Academy Jump From Third Story To Escape Flames.

Blackstone, Va.—Fire, originating in the furnace room of the Blackstone Academy, a preparatory school for boys, gained such headway that the lower floors of the academy were filled with smoke before the alarm was given. Many of the boys made their escape from the flames by leaping from the third floor to a large porch from whence they slid to the ground. The main structure was destroyed entailing a loss estimated at $20,000.

WOMAN HOLDS UP WOMAN.

Did Not Like To See "Some Walking With Furs and Bags."

Bridgeport, Conn. — Miss Eliza Francis, a young stenographer, was held up on one of the city's busiest streets by Miss Mary McCormick, 30 years old, who, at the point of a revolver, demanded money of her. Miss McCormick was seized by a policeman. She said she had not eaten for a week and had determined to kill "some of these women" whom she did not like to see "walking up and down the street with furs and mesh bags."

KENNEDY'S ACCOUNTS O. K.

Suffide's Books Said To Be In Perfect Condition.

Albany, N. Y.—Accountants from the Comptroller's office reported after examining the books of State Treasurer Kennedy that they were in perfect condition. The examination went back only to last Monday, but at that time they were balanced by the same men who made the audit and pronounced correct. A complete audit of the books from the time Mr. Kennedy took office up to the date of his death probably will follow.

DR. ANNA SHAW BADLY INJURED.

Her Leg Broken In Alighting From Railway Train.

New York.—The Rev. Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, president of the National American Woman's Suffrage Asociation and one of the foremost workers for votes for women in this country, was badly injured when she fell while alighting from a train in Jersey City. She slipped under a car after the train had come to a stop and broke her right leg. An X-ray examination showed that the large bone was fractured and the other bone very badly splintered.

RACING CAR KILLS VETERAN.

Driver and Mechanician Badly Hurt; Woman Bruised.

Los Angeles, Cal.—A great gray racer picking its course for the Vanderbilt cup race Saturday leaped from the road near the National Soldiers' Home at Sawtelle, killed a Civil War veteran, Louis G. Smith, and injured several other persons. Mrs. A. W. Pipes, of Poison, Mont., was thrown down and bruised, and David Lewis, driver of the car, was badly hurt, as was E. R. Arnott, the mechanician.

EMULATING THE GREAT

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SENATOR BACON'S DEATH A SHOCK

To His Colleagues by the Unexpected News.

GREAT LOSS TO PRESIDENT.

As Chairman Of the Foreign Affairs Committee He Represented the President In Important Matters Now Pending.

Washington, D. C.—Augustus Octavius Bacon, United States senator from Georgia for nearly 19 years and chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee since the ascendancy of the Democratic party March 4, 1913, died in a hospital here after an illness of ten days. He was the first United States senator elected by direct vote of the people under the Seventeenth Constitutional Amendment.

Though Senator Bacon had been seriously ill with kidney trouble and complications developing from a broken rib, his death was unexpected.

The immediate cause of the Senator's death was diagnosed as a blood clot in the heart.

In the absence of Senator Hoke Smith, of Georgia, Senator Overman was notified and procedings in the Senate were abruptly halted when the North Carolina Senator announced the death. A brief resolution of respect was adopted and the Senate adjourned.

The death of no member of either branch of Congress in years is more widely deplored than that of the senior Senator from Georgia. His long service, his loyalty to the Democratic party and his usefulness as the chairman of one of the most powerful committees of the Senate made his passing felt with a keen sense of personal loss at the White House, at the Capitol and elsewhere throughout the city.

For 15 years the Georgian had been a member of the Foreign Relations Committee. He had studied the problems of that period as closely perhaps as any man who sat in the Senate in his time. And in his debates on the floor he showed his clear insight into the complications between the United States and other governments.

It is for this reason, among others that the Administration feels bereaved. The Senate itself also is conscious of a distinct loss. That body had no more consistent defender of its dignity, its prerogatives, its functions than Senator Bacon. One of his last controversies revolved around that very matter. He demanded that Senators be given precedence over members of the Cabinet on all official occasions, on the theory that Senators are created by the Constitution, whereas Cabinet officials are mere creatures of Congress.

President Wilson's Tribute.

Washington, D. C.—When President Wilson heard of Senator Bacon's death he was sitting at his typewriter. He wrote the following statement on his machine and issued it to the press:

"All who knew Senator Bacon will sincerely deplore his death. It deprives the Senate of one of its oldest and most experienced members, a man who held with something like reverence to the traditions of the great body of which he was so long a part and who sought in all that he did to maintain its standards of statesmanship and service. The great State of Georgia will greatly miss her distinguished son and servant. My own association with him had been of the most cordial and, to me, helpful sort. I particularly profited by his experience in foreign affairs."

WOMAN FEDERAL ATTORNEY.

Mrs. Adams Recommended For Place In San Francisco.

San Francisco. — Recommendation that Mrs. A. A. Adams be appointed one of his assistants was forwarded to Washington by John W. Preston, United States district attorney. Mrs. Adams is a graduate of the University of California and a law partner of Miss Marguerite Ogden, a daughter of Judge Ogden, of Alameda county.

CHIEF OF SCOTTISH CLAN DEAD.

Prof. Ambrose MacNeil, Artist, Dies At Norfolk, Va.

Norfolk, Va.—Prof. Ambrose MacNeil died at St. Vincent's Hospital, after an illness of about three weeks. Born at St. Stephen, Canada, in 1851, he made the study of art his life work. He studied at Paris and his work became widely known. Upon the death of his father he became chief of the Clan MacNeil of Scotland and Laird of Barra, which gave him the title of "MacNeil of Barra."

WORLD TOLD TO KEEP OUT

Mexico Must Settle Her Own Difficulties, Says Bryan.

REICHSTAG IS INFORMED

State Department For the Present Declines To Enter Into Question Of Liability For Losses.

Washington. — While admitting its accuracy Secretary Bryan declined to discuss further the statement by the German Under Secretary of State to the Imperial Parliament that Germany had been notified by the United States that nobody outside of Mexico could enforce a settlement of that country's present difficulties.

The view that the Mexican factions should be allowed to adjust their differences free from outside interference was expressed when the American Government gave notice to the world powers that its embargo against the exportation of arms to Mexico had been raised.

Officials pointed out that similar expressions had been communicated repeatedly to other powers when their diplomatic representatives asked what the United States intended to do in regard to Mexico.

The question of Mexican responsibility for losses sustained by foreigners resident in Mexico as a result of the revolutionary disturbances is one which at present the State Department declines to enter upon. It was suggested that the German Under Secretary expressed only the German view when he said assurances had been given that all losses would be indemnified. The history of past revolutionary movement in the Western Hemisphere presents some contradictions of doctrine in this regard and the disposition of the officials is to leave such matters to be adjusted after the present revolution is ended.

Comes Up On Interpellation.

Berlin.—The matter of other powers being indirectly requested to keep out of Mexico came up in the Reichstag on an interpellation by two of the National Liberal leaders as to "whether Provisional President Huerta had made representations to Germany in regard to the raising of the embargo on arms by the United States."

The interpellation was replied to by Dr. Alfred Zimmermann, Under Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, who said the United States Government, when it informed Germany of the raising of the embargo, had expressed the conviction that nobody outside of Mexico could effect a settlement of that country's difficulties.

The restoration of peace in Mexico, Dr. Zimmermann said, could be hoped for only if the Mexican parties were allowed to fight out their quarrels without interference, and the raising of the embargo merely gave American citizens the same right of selling arms as was enjoyed by other nations.

The Under Secretary informed the House that measures had been taken to protect Germans in Mexico and declared that Mexico would be held fully responsible for all their property losses.

TO FLY OVER ATLANTIC OCEAN.

British Aviator Expects To Cross In Twenty-four Hours.

Liverpool.—Lieut. John Cyril Porte, formerly of the British navy flying corps, expects it will take him only 24 hours to fly across the Atlantic. He expressed this opinion as he left for America on board the Carmania to make preparations for the flight.

NEVER QUARRELED IN 65 YEARS.

Husband Of 87 and Wife Of 84 Celebrate Anniversary.

New York.—After 65 years of married life Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Tuttle, of Speonk, Long Island, said at their anniversary celebration that in all those years they had never quarreled.

POULTRYMEN ARE BAILED.

Alleged Members Of Trust Will Probably Appeal.

New York.—The 11 members of the so-called Poultry Trust, committed to prison to serve a three months' sentence for violation of the State Anti-Monopoly act, were released under $5,000 bail each. An application for a certificate of reasonable doubt, granted by the Supreme Court at Albany and presented here, gave them their freedom. The certificate opens the way for an appeal.

GROUND BROKEN ON LINCOLN DAY

$2,000,000 Memorial to the Emancipator is Begun.

STARTED BY A SOUTHERNER.

Prominent Men From North and South Join In Exercise—Honored In Senate and House.

Washington.—While freezing winds swept across the Potomac from the sloping Virginia hills where stands the Lee Mansion at Arlington, a bareheaded Southern officer of the Civil War opened the simple exercises that marked the breaking of the ground for the construction of the great white marble memorial the nation is about to erect to Abraham Lincoln. This day, the one hundred and fifth anniversary of Lincoln's birth, was chosen for the breaking of the ground for the $2,000,000 structure, which will rise as rapidly as the contractors can push the work.

Only a small group gathered to witness the significant event, Joseph C. S. Blackburn, former senator from Kentucky, was the first to sink a spade into the ground and then with uncovered head he spoke in high praise of the memory of the President against whom he fought half a century ago.

"This memorial will show that Lincoln is now regarded as the greatest of all Americans," said Senator Blackburn, "and that he is so held by the South, as well as the North. Today we let the country know that this great work has been begun and will be carried on steadily until its completion."

M. F. Comer, of Toledo, O.; Colonel W. W. Harts, Lieutenant J. A. O'Connor, U. S. A.; H. A. Vaile, John F. Bethune and Henry Bacon sought turns with the spade for the honor of aiding in starting the building of the memorial.

In the Senate it was a Southerner who made the motion to adourn out of respect to the memory of Lincoln. The motion was made without pre-arrangement by Senator Overman, of North Carolina, following the reading of the former President's Gettysburg address by Senator Bradley, of Kentucky. It was Senator Kenyon, of Iowa, who had suggested that the Senate might well pause a moment to observe the birthday anniversary. The House, too, paused in its deliberations to pay its respect to the memory of the great emancipator.

COLLECTION AT THE SOURCE.

Bill In House To Repeal This Feature Of Income Tax Law.

Washington.—A modified bill to repeal the collection at the source feature of the income tax law was introduced by Representative Cantor, of New York, who has been conferring with city authorities and others in New York city. The modified measure, after abolishing collection at the source, would have the person who, under the existing law, would deduct the income furnish to the government information in detail as to amounts and persons, so the Treasury Department might collect.

AN EX-BANDIT PLATFORM.

He Is a Candidate For Governor Of Oklahoma.

Oklahoma City, Okla.—Al J. Jennings, a former bandit, but now a candidate for governor of Oklahoma, gave out his platform. It contains only about 60 words. "My platform," said Jennings, "is fidelity to the people, real honesty in office and that the law shall be no respecter of persons. When these principles are truly and honestly carried into effect, all interests will be subserved and taxes will be reduced. In all my life I never have betrayed a confidence. If the people confide in me, God being my judge, I'll not betray them."

MORSE GOES ABROAD AGAIN.

Former Banker Sails For Germany To Take Baths.

New York.—Charles W. Morse, the former banker, sailed on the steamship Kaiserin Auguste Victoria for Germany. He expected to be gone a month to take the baths, his son, Harry Morse, explained. Morse's plans have been the topic of speculation in the financial district for weeks, particularly since it became known that he was still active in trying to force Congress to investigate the circumstances of his conviction following the failure of the Bank of North America.

NO RELIEF FOR POTOMAC.

Naval Tug Will Be Left Imprisoned In the Ice.

Washington.—No vessel will be sent to the relief of the naval tug Potomac, imprisoned by the ice packs in the Bay of Islands, on the coast of Newfoundland. The Navy Department announced that it would wait until the forces of nature made the release of the tug possible. It is the opinion of naval officers familiar with Arctic conditions that when the tug is freed the pressure of the ice floes by the spring thaws will have ended its career as a seaworthy vessel.

BRITISH GUNS LANDED.

Supposed To Be Intended For Defending the Legation At Mexico City.

Vera Cruz.—A party of British bluejackets landed two machine guns from the British flagship Suffolk and placed them on board a car on the Mexican railway, consigned to the British Legation in Mexico City. With the guns was sent a great quantity of ammunition. It is assumed here that the guns and ammunition are intended for the defense of the British Legation in case of an uprising in the Federal capital.

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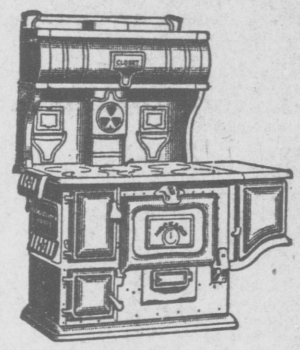

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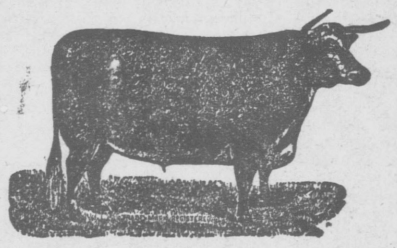

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Eggs, per doz	25@30
Country Butter, per lb	30@37
Creamery Butter, per lb	43
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MONDAY, MARCH, 9th, 1914.—Public sale of stock and farm implements, by James Keegan, on the "Janvier farm," near Bear station. Geo. E. Davis auctioneer.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4th, 1914.—Public sale of stock, farm implements, &c., by R. H. George, on "Gov. Cochran farm," near Middletown.

CONVICTS AND HIGHWAYS

This is something The Transcript has always urged. It is practical so far as we have been able to learn, and from the study we have given the matter the plan is one that would not only give us good roads at a low cost, but we would get them sooner and the prisoners could be kept in better health.

Under the laws of North Dakota the Board of Control may employ convicts on the public highways, their expenses to be paid by the respective counties in which they work. The law stipulates that prisoners perform their duties under the supervision of skilled laborers, who act as guards, but, so far as possible, the law declares, the convicts are to be placed on their honor. Another feature of North Dakota's prison laws is worded as follows: "Each short-time convict worked upon said state roads shall receive a credit upon his time of ten days for each thirty days that he shall faithfully and diligently work upon said state roads, and in case of convicts serving life sentences, such privileges shall be given then as in the judgment of the warden are proper, but in case that any convict fails to do faithful and efficient work, or attempt to escape, he shall forfeit all or as many of said credits as in the judgment of the warden shall be proper."

Of 275 convicts who were worked under the honor system in Ohio, only 18—less than 7 per cent.—attempted to escape, according to a report of Warden Preston E. Thomas, of the Ohio State Penitentiary. While those men were thus employed, there was no barrier except their own honor between them and freedom. Of the 18 men who broke faith, all but seven were caught and returned to the prison, so that the percentage of those who failed to serve their full sentences was only two and a half. This record, says Warden Thomas, compares favorably with trusts in the outworld.

Also in Michigan, where all persons convicted of drunkenness or vagrancy are sentenced to work on the roads instead of in jail, the practice of trusting prisoners has been found successful. Not only that, but, according to W. M. Bryant, Good Roads Commissioner of Michigan, the sentencing of convicts to work on the highways tends to eliminate much petty crime.

It was in Colorado, under Warden Thomas J. Tynan, that the honor system was first employed among prisoners at work on the highways, and it is in that state and Oregon that the system has been most extensively developed. Governor West, of Oregon, in a statement to the National Committee on Prison Labor concerning the honor system among prisoners at work on the roads, said:

"Our road gangs are made up of from 15 to 25 men, with a free man as foreman, who lives and works with his crew. His word is law in camp and his report as to conduct of prisoners carries great weight with the prison officials. It is most essential, therefore, that great care be exercised in the selection of these foremen. We have unexpected success in the operation of our road gangs. Some have been maintained as far as three hundred miles from the prison and nearly all in the hills and mountains where every opportunity was given to escape. At first we lost a number of men, due largely to the novelty of the plan and unjust newspaper criticism which made many of them fear the abandonment of the policy and their return to prison. There has been less newspaper criticism of late, and the public seeing the merits of the system, is accepting it as a settled policy."

DELAWARE COLLEGE

The course in Current Topics, given during the second semester by the department of history and economics, marks a new departure in the work at Delaware College. For some time there has been a demand for such a course, and now sixteen men are enrolled for the work. The Literary Digest is used as a basis for the work of the course, and each student is required in addition to read systemathically one newspaper. A thorough study is made from week to week of important events and movements—sociological, economic and political—both at home and abroad. The course is designed to connect the work of the classroom with the life of the outside world, and to show in a vital way the relation to history of present day problems and discussions. It is also intended to bring the student abreast of the times and to make him familiar with his duties as a citizen. The student is taught to be critical, yet impartial in his judgments. Although the course is admittedly an experiment, Dr. Vaughn is gratified at the interest shown and the results obtained thus far.

Saturday evening, February 14, was "Delaware Night" at the Wilmington Y. M. C. A. This was the third of the series of "college nights" given by college alumni and students for the High School Boys' Club of the Y. M. C. A., for the purpose of arousing among the boys of Wilmington a strong college spirit. It is significant that the attendance on Delaware Night exceeded the combined attendance on "Pennsylvania Night" and "Cornell Night."

The principal speaker of the evening was ex-Congressman W. H. Heald, '85. Mr. Heald discussed at some length the advantages of Delaware College for Wilmington boys, then commended Delaware College spirit, and closed with some interesting and amusing anecdotes of his own student days. Different phases of college life and work at Delaware were explained and discussed by students of the College. C. E. Grubb, '14, president of the college athletic association, spoke on "Athletics at Delaware College"; A. H. Dean, '14, spoke on "The Social Side of College Life"; E. W. Loomis, '14, spoke on "Military Life at Delaware"; and L. C. S. Dorsey, '15, told of the place held in the life of one undergraduate by the various technical and literary societies. Dr. Vaughn, professor of history, made a few extemporaneous remarks concerning the work and influence of the college.

Professor E. L. Smith will attend the fourth annual meeting of the American Association of Collegiate Registrars, to be held in conjunction with the National Educational Association of the United States, at Richmond, Virginia during the week of February 23-28.

HE SOY BEAN CROP IN DELAWARE

During the past three years the department of of agronomy of Delaware College has introduced among farmers of the state a practically new crop—the soy bean. Previous attempts at growing the soy bean in Delaware had been unsatisfactory owing to the fact that the varieties then on the seed market were not well adapted to Delaware conditions.

Cooperative work with soy beans was begun in the spring of 1911. Four-pound lots of seed were then sent to applicants throughout the state. Each package was accompanied by full directions for planting, fertilizing, cultivating and harvesting the crop. The grower was in turn asked to report the yield. The largest yield of beans was reported by Mr. J. C. Cowgill of Dover, who harvested 540 pounds, or 9 bushels, from the four pounds of seed planted. Several other farmers reported yields of more than six bushels.

During the past three years, 325 men have cooperated with the Experiment Station in growing soy beans. As a result, the seed of the varieties distributed have become well scattered throuhout the Peninsula. It has been found that the Wilson soy bean is the best for Delaware, and Delaware is rapidly becoming known as headquarters for this variety. Before the cooperative work was taken up, the department of agronomy of Delaware College had tested for four years sixty varieties of soy beans with the result that the suitability to soil and climate conditions of the varieties sent out was accurately known. Delaware farmers are rapidly increasing their acreage of soy beans. During the coming season, from 50 to 100 acres will be given by many farmers in all parts of the state.

Professor Grantham last week attended several farmers' institutes in New Castle County.

On Tuesday evening, February 17, Mrs. Hayward entertained the agricultural students at the College Farm.

On Monday, Mr. F. S. Balyeat, of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Co., of Pittsburg, visited the Mechanical and Electrical engineering department for the purpose of securing young men to go with his company. After making a thorough inspection of the equipment of the department and investigating the methods of instruction employed, he expressed himself as highly pleased with the plant and the work done. He made a short address to the senior students in which he congratulated them because they had received their training in a small institution like Delaware College.

Made $120 at Poultry Supper

The Ladies of Friendship M. E. Church, Thoroughfare Neck, were well pleased with the results of the poultry supper at the pretty home of Mr. and Mrs. John A. David, Feb. 12. The evening was clear and cold, though the house was filled. The dining room was a pleasant place to be seated. The ladies cleared from the supper including fifty-three dollars contributed from friends $120. The proceeds will be for the benefit of painting the Church. The Ladies of the church extend their thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Davis for their hospitality.

Sheriff's Sales

SHERIFF'S SALE—BY VIRTUE OF a writ of Lev. Fac. to me directed will be exposed to Public Sale at the Court House, on Market street, between Tenth and Eleventh streets, in the City of Wilmington, New Castle County, Delaware,

ON SATURDAY,

THE 21ST DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1914
at 10 o'clock, a. m.,

the following described real estate, viz:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the buildings thereon erected, situate in the village of Newport, County and State aforesaid, and designated in the order of the Orphans' Court in the sale of the lands of Joseph Tatnall, deceased as No. 39, and more particularly bounded and described as follows to-wit:

Beginning on the southerly side of the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore Railroad Company's land and a corner for lands now or formerly of John R. Lynam; thence by the land of said railroad north eighty-nine degrees east, sixty-three feet four inches; thence south, nineteen and one-quarter degrees east, two hundred and eleven feet and two inches; thence north, eighty-one and one-half degrees east, one-hundred and thirty-five feet eleven and one-half inches to the middle of Hutchinson's run; thence thereby south, forty-four and one-quarter degrees east one hundred and ten feet two and one-half inches; thence by the same south, nine degrees east, one hundred and thirty-two feet to Christiana river; thence thereby south, sixty degrees west, one hundred and forty-eight feet and six inches; thence south, sixty-eight and three-quarter degrees west, one hundred and eighty-five feet and five and one half inches to land of said Lynam; thence thereby north, seven and one-half degrees west, five hundred and thirty-two feet and seven and one-half inches to the place of beginning. Containing two and one-quarter acres of land, be the same more or less Being the same lands and premises which "Delaware Paint Company," a Corporation existing under the laws of the State of Delaware did grant and confirm unto the said Irving L. Briggs, as by indenture bearing even date here with, not yet recorded but intended so to be appears. This indenture of Mortgage being given to secure the payment of the above stated sum of seven thousand dollars as a part of the purchase money thereof.

For release of a portion of this property see Deed Record K, Vol. 23, Page 139, etc.; the same being described as follows to-wit:

All that portion of the above mentioned and described property bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Water street at the present division line between the lands of the Krebs Pigment and Chemical Company and Excelsior Manufacturing Company; thence easterly along said southerly side of Water street forty feet to a stake in the centre of a proposed new road; thence southerly along the centre line of said proposed new road, two hundred and eighty-seven feet to a point at low water line of the Christiana river, said point being the present division line between the lands of the said Krebs Pignent and Chemical Company and Excelsior Manufacturing Company, thence northerly and along said present division line eighty-six feet to a point; thence westerly and still along said present division line, thirty-seven feet and five inches to a point; thence northerly and still along said present divison line, two hundred feet to the said southerly side of Water street, and place of beginning. Containing eighty-five hundred and forty-five square feet of land, be the same more or less.

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the following described Real Estate viz:

All That certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with the three-story brick dwelling house thereon erected, situate in the City of Wilmington aforesaid bounded and describeed as follows to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Adams street at the distance of one hundred and twenty-five feet southerly from the southerly side of Tenth Street; thence westerly, parallel with Tenth street, one hundred feet; thence southerly, parallel with Adams street aforesaid, twenty feet and one inch; thence easterly, parallel with Tenth street and passing through the center of the party wall one hundred feet to the aforesaid westerly side of Adams street; and thence thereby northerly twenty feet and one inch to the place of beginning. Be the contents thereof what they may:

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Ella B. Mayne and William A. Mayne, mortgagors and to be sold by

WALTER S. BURRIS, Sheriff
Sheriff's Office, Wilmington, Del., February 3, 1914.

SHERIFF'S SALE—BY VIRTUE OF a writ of Lev. Fac. to me directed, will be exposed to Public Sale at Brandywine Springs Park, Mill Creek Hundred, New Castle County Delaware,

ON SATURDAY

THE 21ST DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1914,
at 11 o'clock a. m.,

the following described Personal Property, viz:

All The goods, chattels and personal property described as follows, to-wit:

The scenic railway with the cars, trucks, motors, machinery, equipments and buildings together with the furniture therein, scenery and all the appliances connected or used with the said scenic railway, and all improvements, alternations and additions thereto. Said goods, chattels, and property now remaining and continuing in the possession of the said parties of the first part at Brandywine Spring Park, Mill Creek Hundred. New Castle County and State of Delaware.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Jeremiah Cahill and Cecil C. Marchant, mortgagors and to be sold by

WALTER S, BURRIS, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Wilmington, Del., February 3, 1914.

FOR SALE—I purchased my Bran before the recent advance and can give you a very attractive price.
S. B. FOARD.

Sheriff's Sales

SHERIFF'S SALE—BY VIRTUE OF a writ of Levari Facias to me directed, will be exposed to Public Sale at the Court House, on Market street, between Tenth and Eleventh streets, in the City of Wilmington, New Castle County, Delaware,

ON SATURDAY.

THE 21ST DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1914,
at 10 o'clock a. m.,

the following described Real Estate, viz:

All That certain farm or tract of land, with the buildings thereon erected, situate in the hundred and county of New Castle, and State of Delaware, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a stone in line of Reuben P. Janvier at the side of the private road leading through said premises, being the beginning point for land assigned for dower in partition of real estate of Thomas Appleby, deceased, thence south, fourty-four degrees and twenty minutes west, seventy-two and six-tenths perches; thence south seventy-two degrees and ten minutes west, twenty-nine and two-tenths perches to a stone; thence north seventy-two degrees west, sixty-four and fifty-six hundredths perches to a stone near a large white oak tree; thence south fifty-one degrees and ten minutes west thirty-eight and twenty-four hundredths perches to the middle of a branch or run leading into Christiana creek; thence in a southeasterly direction down the centre of said run about forty perches to Christiana creek: thence down the same its several courses about two hundred and fifty perches to the centre of another run or creek dividing this from land of A. P. Shannon, deceased, thence up said run or branch about fifty perches to a stake on the bank opposite a small black oak tree; thence still with said Shannon's land south, forty-four degrees and twenty-five minutes west, twenty-three and two-tenths perches to a stone, thence south sixty-nine degrees east twenty perches to a corner stake; thence south thirty-two and one-half degrees east, forty perches to a corner; thence south eighty-four and three-quarter degrees east, ten perches to a stake; thence north six degrees west, twenty-five and two-tenths perches to a corner stake; thence north, twenty degrees and forty minutes east, fifteen and six-tenths perches to a stake in line of land of Rueben P. Janvier, thence with said Janvier's land south, twenty and one-half degrees east, eighty perches to a stake and place of beginning. Containing about eighty-six acres of land be the same more or less.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Theodore B. Rogers and Josephine P. Rogers, his wife, and to be sold by

WALTER S. BURRIS, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Wilmington, Del., February 3, 1914.

SHERIFF'S SALE—BY VIRTUE OF a writ of Levari Facias, to me directed, will be exposed to Public Sale, at the Deer Park Hotel, in the town of Newark, White Clay Creek Hundred, New Castle County, Delaware,

ON SATURDAY,

THE 21ST DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1914,
at 2 o'clock p. m.,

the following described Personal Property, viz:

One Class S. Traction Engine, No. 7408.

One Class C. New Peerless Thresher, No. 13,556.

One Centrifugal Stacker, No. 2136.

One Peerless Self Feeder, No. 2261.

Bagger and Weigher No. 6227.

140 feet, 7 ft. 6 in. 4-ply Endless Candy Drive Belt, all fixtures and appliances belonging to above machinery and connected thereto, also one 16x28 8 oz, canvass cover.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Elbert Burns, and to be sold by

WALTER S. BURRIS, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Wilmington, Del., February 3, 1914.

NOTICE!

I, WILLIAM BALL, the tenant and occupant of the house situated in Delaware City, School Districts Nos. 52 and 76, in Red Lion Hundred, county of New Castle and State of Delaware, in compliance with the requirements of the acts of the General Assembly in such case made and provided do hereby give notice that I shall apply in writing to the Court of General Sessions of the State of Delaware, in and for New Castle County, on Monday, the Second day of March, A. D. 1914, being the next term of said court, for a license for said house, as an inn or tavern, for the sale therein of intoxicating liquors in less quantites than one quart to be drunk on the premises, and the following respectable citizens of said school districts, at least six of whom are substantial freeholders of said school districts, recommend the said application, viz:

Chas W. Jefferson.	Wm. Reybold,
Wm. A. Davidson,	William F. Neff,
J. J. Messig,	J. A. Mulligan,
P. J. Mulligan,	H. C. Nickle,
S. T. Armstrong, Jr.	Geo. N. Bright,
R. L. Cofer,	F. J. Bruner,
Reuben W. Warren,	Albert I. Swan,
Charles F. Tugend,	Max Samonisky,
W. P. Stanley,	Wm. D. Clark,
Edw. Neff,	Thomas A. Rees,
John F. Castelow,	H. E. Heal,
Wm. Wingate,	James Husfelt,
T. J. Clark,	William Oakes,
W. M. Householder,	T. T. Vail.

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East Main Street Market
Here are some Good Snaps you can not afford to miss

Niana Telephone Peas, you buy no better for 18c' we shall sell them at 10c a can while the lot lasts. We will not have them again at that price, so don't miss them.

Knighthood and Mistletoe Corn, regular price 12c now 10c a can.

One lot of Bed Quilts $1.25 now $1.00 and one lot of Bed Blankets $3.00 now $2.50.

These goods are fresh now, haven't been in store over 60 days. Don't care to pack them away.

A lot of Children's Misses' and Boys' Underwear ranging in price from 25c to 35c, all sizes to go at 22c each.

A lot of Welch Brothers Pine Maple Sap Syrup direct from Vermont 50c a can now 40c, only a limited amount.

A lot of Wool and Fiber, also Linen and Fiber 36x63 in. Reversible Rugs, the kind that wear well, we offer for $1.00 while the lot last.

Here is a snap in Jardineres, they must go to make room for other goods, regular 95c now 75c, regular 75c now 50c and regular 50c now 40c.

Don't forget we have one of the largest lines of fresh Cereals, Canned Goods, Vegetables, Table Condiments, Coffee and Teas kept in town from which to select.

M. BANNING
Phone 60 East Main St.
Middletown, Delaware

New Soda Fountain

I wish to inform my patronsand the public, that I have purchased the fine Soda Fountain of J. G. Bragdon, and now have it installed in my place of business. It is my intention to serve all of the fine flavors that were dispensed by Mr. Bragdon, and invite the public to call and be convinced of the fact.

Ice Cream

Never in the history of our business has the demand been so great great for our Ice Cream as during the past Summer, and we expect to retain the confidence of our customers by constantly serving them with our first-class article.

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We keep a large assortment of all the choice Confections, and they are always fresh.

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We make a specially of handling Oysters, and serve them in all styles at our restaurant, and also the family trade.

MRS. ROSA WEBER
Middletown, Delaware

Notice to Dog Owners

The 1914 Dog Tags are now on sale at the Town Office.

Notice is hereby given, that all persons owning dogs in the Town limits must have same registered on or before March 1st, 1914. By order of

TOWN COMMISSIONERS.

FOR SALE—Two cars of CHOICE SEED POTATOES shipped direct from HOULTON, MAINE. Also, one car load of CHOICE SEED OATS stored in our warehouse.
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Every Saturday
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More Horses, More Wagons and Harness Than any other establishment in the state. Bring your horses in and sell them and take the cash home with you.
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"I have used 'Elixir Babek' for four years for Malaria, and found it all that is claimed for it. Without it I would be obliged to change my residence, as I can not take quinine in any of its forms."—J. Middleton, Four-Mile Run, Va. Elixir Babek 50 cents, all druggists or by Parcels Post prepaid from Kloczewski & Co., Washington, D. C.

Curiosity Aroused.

"The hero of this book is a dyspeptic."

"How can you read it?"

"I'm anxious to see if a book of this sort can end happily."

Still on Guard.

"The agricultural department now says that the cow is the farmer's friend."

"Um!" grunted Farmer Whiffletree. "Won't that alter your attitude toward him?"

"Not a bit. I've got lots of friends that I'm suspicious of."

Queen's Close Friend.

Lady Mount Stephen, whose husband is likely to succeed Lord Strathcona as high commissioner for Canada in London, is probably Queen Mary's oldest and most intimate friend. Before her marriage in 1897 to the Canadian millionaire peer, she was Miss Gian Tufnell, and was lady-in-waiting and the favorite companion of the late duchess of Teck. She has been the friend and confidante of the queen from her girlhood, as well as a great favorite with all the members of the Teck family.

Statesmen and Large Families.

The revival of discussion on the failing birth-rate recalls some of the schemes of statesmen and others to encourage the rearing of large families. Pitt, for example, said that they should make relief in cases where there was a large number of children a matter of right and honor, instead of a ground of opprobrium and contempt, and he added that that would make a large family a blessing, and not a curse. Napoleon offered to take under his own charge one member of any family which contained seven male children. And Louis XIV., for whom no extravagance was too great, had exempted from public taxes all those who married before the age of twenty, or had more than ten legitimate children.

SCHOOL TEACHERS. Also Have Things to Learn.

"For many years I had used coffee and refused to be convinced of its bad effect upon the human system," writes a veteran school teacher.

"Ten years ago I was obliged to give up my much-loved work in the public schools after years of continuous labor. I had developed a well defined case of chronic coffee poisoning.

"The troubles were constipation, flutterings of the heart, a thumping in the top of my head, and various parts of my body, twitching of my limbs, shaking of my head and, at times after exertion, a general "gone" feeling, with a toper's desire for very strong coffee. I was a nervous wreck for years.

"A short time ago friends came to visit us and they brought a package of Postum with them, and urged me to try it. I was prejudiced because some years back I had drunk a cup of weak, tasteless stuff called Postum which I did not like at all.

"This time, however, my friends made the Postum according to directions on the package, and it won me. Soon I found myself improving in a most decided fashion.

"The odor of boiling coffee no longer tempts me. I am so greatly benefited by Postum that if I continue to improve as I am now, I'll begin to think I have found the Fountain of Perpetual Youth. This is no fancy letter but stubborn facts which I am glad to make known."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Write for a copy of "The Road to Wellville."

Postum now comes in two forms:

Regular Postum—must be well boiled.

Instant Postum—is a soluble powder. A teaspoonful dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water and, with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. Grocers sell both kinds. "There's a Reason" for Postum.

U. S. TROOPS GET CASTILLO

Mexican Bandit Captured on the American Side.

SIX OF HIS MEN SURRENDER

Should the American Officers Do So, He Will Certainly Be Executed For Setting Fire To the Cumbre Tunnel.

Alpasa, Texas.—Maximo Castillo, the Mexican bandit, charged with responsibility for the Cumbre tunnel disaster, in which ten Americans and 41 others lost their lives, was captured 38 miles south of Hachita, N. M., by American troops.

The information was conveyed to Gen. Hugh L. Scott, commandant at Fort Bliss, in an official telegram from Captain White, Ninth United States Cavalry.

With the bandit were six of his followers. According to Captain White's brief dispatch, they surrendered without a fight. They will be brought here.

Castillo, to avoid a range of mountains on the Mexican side, made a detour which brought him into American territory. Captain White was on the watch, having received information from Walter McCormick, American manager of Las Palomas ranch, on the Mexican side, that the much-wanted man was in the vicinity.

Captain White telegraphed by Army wireless to General Scott for instructions, and was ordered to arrest the bandit should he put foot on American soil.

Whether the prisoner shall be surrendered to the rebels is a legal question which remains to be settled. If this is done there is no doubt that he will be executed for the Cumbre disaster. He is not charged with any crime on this side.

Castillo set fire to a freight train in the Cumbre Tunnel two weeks ago. The cars were burning when a passenger train crashed into it and every life aboard was lost. The tunnel is still burning.

A special to the Times from Hachita, N. M., says that the capture was made by Lieutenant Rothwell, of Troop A, and remarks that it was particularly gratifying as coming on the heels of the theft of 18 horses belonging to the regiment by Mexicans on Sunday. The special continues:

"Captain White will ask that Castillo and Capt. Emilio Garcia, a member of the band previously captured, be transported immediately to El Paso, as the number of soldiers on duty here is limited."

Previous reports of Castillo's capture, made to General Villa, proved untrue. The latter expressed his gratification at the capture. General Scott was no less jubilant.

UNUSUAL SCENE IN SENATE.

Funeral Services In Honor Of Senator Bacon.

Washington.—Last tribute to the late Senator Augustus O. Bacon, of Georgia, was paid Tuesday by the representatives in Washington of the American people and foreign nations. Funeral services were held in the Senate chamber as an unusual honor to the dead statesman, and joining the houses of Congress in the tribute were the justices of the Supreme Court, members of the President's cabinet, the diplomatic corps, officers of the Army and Navy and others high in official life.

Solemn and impressive as the services were, they were brief, and within 30 minutes after Vice-President Marshall opened the ceremonies, the Senat adjourned as a further mark of respect. Then the body was borne away and placed on a train for Atlanta.

A MAYOR ON A STRIKE.

City Council Would Cut His Salary To 62 Cents a Day.

Mendota, Ill.—Because the city council is attempting to cut his salary from 82 to 62 cents per day, Mayor Charles Rogers, of Mendota, has gone on a strike, tying up the city's business. Besides refusing to sign any bills or sanction any of the city's transactions, the mayor has threatened to sue the municipality for his pay.

At the time of his election Mayor Rogers understood he was to receive $300 annually. At a recent meeting of the city council he found his salary was to be only $225.

NEAR RIOT IN LEGISLATURE.

Scenes Of Tumult Mark Closing Day Of Ohio Assembly.

Columbus, O.—Scenes of tumult, which at times boardered upon riot, marked the closing day of the special session of the legislature. An altercation in the House between Representative M. A. Warnes, Democratic floor leader, and Representative J. G. Cooper, a Republican, was prevented by other members separating them during a quarrel over the automobile license tax bill, an administration measure, which was finally passed and sent to the governor.

PANIC IN A BANK.

Young Man Fires Revolver When Forged Check Is Refused.

Buffalo, N. Y.—Robert W. Haines, 25 years old, tendered a check for $16 to a paying teller of the Fidelity Trust Company, and when payment was refused drew a revolver. He fired one shot before he was seized by bystanders. The check was a forgery and Haines was taken to police headquarters. The bank lobby was crowded, and a panic followed the shooting.

MARYLAND LEGISLATURE

To Control Roads and Bridges.

Senator Holmead proposes creating a board of highway commissioners for Prince George's county which is to have general control of the roads and bridges in the county. The board is made up of the county commissioners, and until December 1, 1915, are assigned as follows: George A. Gude, First district J. Jackson Suit, Second; John M. Bowie, Third; Harry M. Bowen, Fourth, and William H. Shuler, Fifth. The commissioners are authorized to name five road directors after January 1, 1916, until which time the following are to serve: First district, John D. Smith; Second, William Brady; Third, Benjamin E. Randall; Fourth, Richard H. Edelen; Fifth, Herbert E. Hardy.

$159,000 For Charity Work.

Individuals and delegations representing the various charitable institutions and reformatories in and near Baltimore appeared before the Senate Finance and the House Ways and Means Committees and asked for, in some instances, a continuance of the aid they have been receiving from the State and in other instances for increases. The applications heard asked for appropriations totaling $159,000. Other institutions remain to be considered. Most of the asylums, hospitals and charity schools announced their intention of increasing their capacities and in that way explained their reasons for asking more than they are now receiving.

$10,000 To Guarantee Good Faith.

Dr. Wirt A. Duvall brought down a bill, which was later introduced by Senator Maloy, to standardize and equalize insurance conditions in the State. It provides that insurance companies operated on a co-operative plan, a number of which have been licensed by the State Insurance Commission, shall be compelled to deposit with the Commissioner $10,000 worth of securities, as a guarantee of good faith, just as the big companies must deposit $50,000 each for the same purpose. They are also to pay a license fee of $25 a year.

For Election Officials.

Senator Zihlman introduced a bill providing that the judges and clerks of election for Allegany county shall not be required to appear before the Board of Supervisors of Election for the purpose of examination nor to be sworn in, and that they may appear before a justice of the peace or notary public of the county and shall file with the Board of Supervisors a certificate of qualification. This provision already applies to Garrett, Queen Anne's, Dorchester, Howard, Frederick, Washington, Carroll, Charles, St. Mary's and Prince George's counties.

Harrison Sworn In.

Senator Orlando Harrison was sworn in shortly after the Senate convened at noon Thursday. He was escorted to the platform by Senators Hammond and Milbourn, and the oath administered by President Price. The ceremony was witnessed by the many friends of the Senator, who crowded into the chamber and filled the galleries. Immediately after qualifying he took the seat previously occupied by Mr. Ashburn and took part in the deliberations.

Medals For Spanish War Soldiers.

Every Maryland soldier and sailor who took part in the war with Spain may proudly wear a medal commemorating that service, if a bill introduced in the House by Mr. Gatch, of Baltimore county, becomes a law. The medals are to be furnished by the State. An appropriation of $6,000 is provided, with which the Governor is to secure the medals. He is authorized to select the design.

To Exempt City Stock.

A big point was gained for Baltimore when the Ways and Means Committee decided to report favorably the bill to exempt Baltimore city stock from taxation. If this bill becomes a law Baltimore will save over $100,000 annually, this being the sum levied with which to pay the tax. The repeal of the existing law was urged by State Comptroller Harrington in his last report.

Wants a Census Of Children.

An annual census of children of Baltimore city, between the ages of 6 and 18 years, is provided in a bill introduced in the House by Mr. Frick. It is to be taken by the police at the time the census of voters is taken. Information regarding school attendance and employment of children is to be gathered.

For Popular Election Or Treasurer.

In the House Mr. Waters, of Montgomery county, introduced a bill to amend the State Constitution in order that the State Treasury may be elected by direct vote instead of by the General Assembly as at present.

No Bible Legislation.

The House Committee on Judiciary reported unfavorably the bill which Mr. Gatch introduced by request requiring the reading of the Bible in public schools daily. The unfavorable report was adopted.

English statistics place the number of automobiles in use in the world at more than 2,226,000, of which more than one half are in the United States.

A new household convenience is a seat to be suspended by hooks from a bath tub, either inside for use in bathing or outside to aid a person in dressing.

Rubber exports from Federated Malay States last year aggregated 52,557,409 pounds, compared with 34,732,415 pounds in 1912 and 19,695,330 pounds in 1911.

MARYLAND NEWS IN SHORT ORDER

The Latest Gleanings From All Over the State.

John R. Beall, of La Plata, has been appointed station agent for the P., B. & W. R. R. at North East.

Members of the New Century Club, of Delmar, are agitating the erection of a building to house the organization.

The Town Improvement Association of Chestertown has started a movement against spitting on the sidewalks there.

While playing during the noon recess hour, Eva Statts, a little schoolgirl of Crompton, fell, breaking her left arm in two places.

The degree team of Mountain City Lodge, No. 29, K. P., will confer the first rank at the golden jubilee of the Knights of Pythias of Washington on February 19, 20 and 21.

Mrs. Susan R. Dade, widow of Joseph Dade, of Hutchinson, Kan., died Thursday night at Walledene, at the home of her sister, Mrs. William E. Wall, near Boyds, where she had been visiting.

Washington county commissioners broke the deadlock existing for several weeks over the appointment of county attorney, when they elected former Justice Elias B. Hartle, progressive Democrat, to that office.

At a meeting of the women of Chestertown a hospital committe was formed, with Mrs. J. H. Thompson, chairman. Funds will be raised this spring to purchase the Westcott mansion to be used as a local hospital.

The mangled body of Edward Perry Middleton was found on the Baltimore and Ohio tracks near North Branch. It is supposed Middleton was returning from Cumberland when struck by a train.

Rev. Cosby M. Robertson, of Buchanan, W. Va., has accepted a call to the pastorate of the First Baptist Church at Cambridge and will remove with his family to Cambridge on March 1.

The Chesapeake and Delaware Canal, after being closed for the past six weeks undergoing repairs, was opened for traffic. The first vessels to go through were the Ericsson steamers plying between Philadelphia and Baltimore.

M. D. Kirk has been appointed chief engineer for the Davis Coal and Coke Company, with headquarters, Cumberland. This is a newly created office. Mr. Kirk comes from Clover, Pa., where he was chief engineer for the Ebensburg Coal Company.

Dr. Clarence I. Benson, of Port Deposit, and Miss Margerty Krauss, a manual training instructor at Tome Institute, were married last Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents in Philadelphia. Dr. and Mrs. Benson will make their future home at Port Deposit.

An engagement of much interest to society in Port Deposit, Baltimore and New York was announced when Sam'l C. Rowland, multi-millionaire, of Port Deposit, announced the coming marriage of his daughter, Miss Dorothy Rowland, to Frank H. Winants, of New York. No date has been set for the wedding.

Playing with lighted candles used on a birthday cake, the 2-year-old daughter of Albert S. Dyer, of Frederick, was so seriously burned that she is not expected to live. The child was alone in the house with her 5-year-old brother when the accident occurred.

The will of William T. Clark, former judge of the Orphans' Court for Cecil county, who died last week at his home at North East, was filed for probate Thursday in the register's office at Elkton. His estate, valued at $10,000, is left to his widow during her lifetime and at her death to be divided among his children.

Toppling from the top of a loaded spring wagon, Roy Hugh Specht, the 10-year-old son of D. M. Specht, Doubs, was partly scalped when the wagon wheel passed over the back part of his head. It required nearly a dozen stitches to close the wound. About three stitches were required to close the wound over the eye. He also has a slight concussion of the brain. His condition is serious.

Heart balm in the sum of $10,000 is asked by Miss Mae R. Moser from Lloyd C. Bartgis, formerly of Myersville, in a breach of promise suit filed by Miss Moser's attorneys, Stoner & Weinberg. Simultaneously Miss Moser's father, George W. Moser, filed a suit against Bartgis for $10,000 for the loss of his daughter's services, brought about by Bartgis' relations with Miss Moser. Bartgis left Maryland about three years ago and married another woman.

St. Louis factories in 1912 numbered 2,585 and had an output valued at $345,657,438.

Artillery officers of the United States army have succeeded in directing the fire of coast defense guns from points as far distant as eight miles.

A series of electric buttons, the correct combination of which to produce results is known only to the authorized, features a new automobile starter.

That he has invented a malleable aluminum alloy with steel's strength, but with only one-third the weight of brass, is the claim of an English chemist.

INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

(By E. O. SELLERS, Director of Evening Department, The Moody Bible Institute, Chicago.)

LESSON FOR FEBRUARY 22.

FAITH DESTROYING FEAR.

LESSON TEXT—Luke 12:1-12.

GOLDEN TEXT—"Every one who shall confess me before men, him shall the Son of Man also confess before the angels of God."—Luke 12:8.

The first verse of this lesson indicates the character of this period in the life of our Lord which we are now studying. It was a time of thrilling interest and of intense excitement. A time when the crowds were so great that they "trode one upon another." This may have resulted from the preaching of the seventy; but we of today can see what Jesus then saw, that this interest was only superficial and transitory. So it was that the Master turned "first of all" to his disciples lest they be deceived by this seeming popularity.

Hiding the Truth.

I. The fear of losing a reputation, vv. 2, 3. The Pharisees made great, pompous claims at their being religious. A hypocrite is one who hides behind a mask, one who is a play actor. It is pretence instead of reality. Therefore, if one is not real his fear of losing his reputation is increased in direct ratio to the extent of his deceit. The principal error of these Pharisees was that they hid the truth and at the same time refused to be ruled by it themselves. Jesus demands a new publicity (v. 2) of service and in the presence of this vast crowd denounces this hypocrisy as being sin. He also says plainly that what they had been saying in darkness will be proclaimed from the housetops.

Our Lord compares hypocrisy with leaven in that it is the product of corruption, it works secretly, it infects the whole mass. (So hypocrisy will effect our whole life and conduct.) This leaven is a sour spreading corruption that changes the whole character of a man. It cannot be hid. No amount of care can effectually cover our deceit. We may, for a time, hide our sin from men, but God knows and in due time will publish it abroad (v. 3); I. Tim. 5:24. Not alone our acts, but our secret thoughts also. This is comforting and condemning as well. The word of counsel to the seeker of life eternal will have its reward. To the saint of God this thought brings no condemnation, I. John 4: 18.

Warned by Jesus.

II. The fear of death, vv. 4, 7. Such publicity will and always has led to persecution, and so Jesus calls his disciples to courage, charging them that they fear not those who have power over the body, but rather to fear him whose power is over the soul. Notice the manner of address, "my friends, fear not." Intimacy and courage are suggested. Look up the many times the Scriptures admonish us not to fear, I. John 4:18. Satan and man (v. 5) have power over the body, but they cannot touch the soul. The Christian, however, needs not to fear man or Satan, Isa. 51:12, Rom. 8:31, for the angel of Jehovah (the Lord Jesus) encamps about them that fear Jehovah (Ps. 34:7). Paul tells us that to depart from this life is again, Phil. 1:21; II. Cor. 5:8. We have, therefore, no cause to fear the death of the body. One only, God, has the power after death, to cast the soul into hell (v. 5). He it is who gives us a suggestion of awful consciousness of the soul, and of the body as well, when they are in hell, Matt. 10:28. Jesus has warned us and we are to warn others that they avoid that which was prepared, not for man, but ofr the devil and his angels, Matt. 25:41. Is there a hell? Yes! Else Jesus was deceived or has deliberately deceived us. Thank God, however, that as a man is of more value than a sparrow, so God has prepared better things for those who place their faith in his son, (v. 6). He also looks after the most minute details of our lives, beyond what we can do, down to the counting of the hairs of our head (v. 7). Contrast "Fear him," v. 5, and "Fear not," v. 7. The fear of God produces that obedience and fellowship whereby all other fear is banished. All fear being banished we become conscious of his love and we are inspired to persistent service.

III. The fear of making an open confession, vv. 8-12. With such a tender, beautiful assurance of God's care over us it would seem unnecessary for Jesus to admonish his followers about confessing him before the world. Yet such is the persistent hardness and the natural timidity of the human heart that the Master, in mercy, warns his followers, Rom. 10:9, 10. Our Lord looks beyond his disciples to the dispensation of the Spirit and declared that men, speaking against him would be forgiven, but that those who slander, detract and heap vituperation upon the Spirit would commit a sin, a blasphemy, which could not be forgiven. Moreover, in that dispensation of the Spirit, no matter how much men might suffer, or be in danger, they would be taught by that Spirit what they ought to say, vv. 11, 12.

The one who commits this sin, deliberately attributes to the Devil what he knows to be the work of the Spirit, Matt. 12:22-32. It is a deliberate choice of darkness and the heart is so hardened as to preclude repentance. There is no desire for repentance.

Those whom Jesus calls to proclaim the truth concerning the Kingdom of God may depend upon a co-operation of the Holy Spirit which will make them fearless of all opposition. The death of the body is but an incident. As we receive the Comforter and come to know the God of all comfort we begin to sense our value to him in carrying out his enterprises and the mystery of his condescending grace. There is no warrant for undertaking work for Christ without adequate preparation, but there is sufficient warrant for fully trusting him in every emergency.

Catch Sea Cow on Coast.

Whether the skill shown by William Steamer, negro fisherman, in lassoing a large shark at the Breakers Hotel pier, caused the appearance there of a sea cow has stumped even the old time yarn spinning fishermen who pride themselves as solvers of aquatic riddles.

A score of persons were gathered on the pier watching several West Indians draw in their nets. Much to the surprise of the spectators and the negroes the sea cow was brought to the surface of the water. Fishermen well acquainted with these waters say that the sea cow is now extremely rare, so much so in fact that it is against the law to kill one. Consequently, after the negroes had hauled it close enough to the pier so that its cumbersome form could be seen the cow was released. In view of Steamer's feat and the later incident, the waters around the pier have been called the corrall.—Palm Beach (Fla.) Dispatch to New York Herald.

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CECILTON

Miss Mary Davis spent Saturday with Miss Isabell Clark.

Miss Margretta Myres, is visiting relatives in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. William G. Jones were Philadelphia visitors this week.

Mise Lidie Curry, of Collingswood, N. J., is the guest of Miss Katharine Wilson.

Mr. William Hardesty spent several days last week with friends in Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Y. Weed have been visiting relatives and friends in Philadelphia and Darby.

Mr. Harry Albrittian, of Wilmington, spent Saturday and Sunday with Messrs. C. V. and T. E. Hoover.

Mr. and Mrs. William Boyles and two children visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brown, of near Earleville, recently.

Miss Blanche Brown who has been spending sometime with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brown has returned to Norfolk, Va.

Mrs. Harry Brittingham and daughter Helen, of Delmar, Del., have been visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. G. L. Hardesty.

Messrs. Dallas Manlove, Durney Oldham, Harold Padley, and Raymond Fillingame, Misses Grace and Reba Burris attended the dance at Chesapeake City last Thursday evening.

WARWICK

Mr. John Holden is on the sick list.

Miss Mamie Merrit is visiting relatives in Philadelphia.

Mrs. John Rodney Price spent Saturday with her mother.

Mr. John Price from Colorado, is visiting in and near town.

Miss Estella Marsh, of Colorado, is visiting her friends in the East.

Mr. Gervis Hill spent Sunday with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Hill.

Miss Eva Holden was operated on for appendicitis at the Chester Hospital, Tuesday of this week.

The entertainment given by The Christian Endeavor Society was a success, over $22 was cleared.

Mrs. John F. Ernest and son Douglas, of Sassafrass, spent Wednesday with her mother Mrs. Gunkel.

Mrs. John Rodney Price entertained at dinner Sunday, Rev. and Mrs. Hill, Mr. William Price, and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Custis Price.

The Aid Society and the Sewing Circle met at the Parsonage on Wednesday. Refreshments of cake and coffee were enjoyed by the members.

Miss Bessie Gunkle spent Friday in Smyrna. She was entertained by The Century Club, and in turn delightfully entertained the Club with several solos.

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A large amount of experimenting in the way of growing produce for the early markets will be done this year, and the growing of cantaloupes will be on a larger scale.

Many growers made small fortunes out of this melon last year, with the result that it will be very extensively grown this year.

The yield of strawberies in Sussex county is expected to be much greater than in previous years.

So far the peach crop is safe, but the acreage is less than in former years, many growers having replaced this fruit with small fruits and vegetables.

PORT PENN

Owing to the severe cold the meetings in the Presbyterian church have been discontinued until some future date.

The remains of the infant of George Fleming and wife from Wilmington were brought to Hickory Grove Cemetery for burial on Sunday.

Mrs. Scerick Fleming entertained part of last week her sister Miss Lizzie Johnson, of Wilmington.

Charles Yearsley, of Baltimore, is the guest of his parents Nathan Yearsley and wife.

Mrs. Frank Yearsley and sister Miss Cora have been visiting her parents in Wr ghtstown. N. J,

A. Kumpel and son Albert are spending this week in visiting different points in Jersey.

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AT FLEMMING'S LANDING,
WEDNESDAY, FEB 25, 1914
From 1 to 3 P. M.
AT BLACKBIRD,
SATURDAY, FEB. 28, 1914
From 1 to 3 P. .

Tax bills can be obtained by making personal application to the Co lector, or by sending written communication enclosing stamps.

EXTRACT FROM THE LAWS OF DELAWARE. GOVERNING THE COLLECTION OF TAXES OF NEW CASTLE COUNTY:

Section 3—That on all taxes paid before the first day of October there shall be an abatement of five per centum. On all taxes paid before the first day of December there shall be an abatement of three per centum. On all taxes paid during the month of December there shall be no abatement whatever. And on all taxes unpaid on the first day of January there shall be added one per centum per month until the same shall be paid.

HARRY S WOODKEEPER,
Collector of Taxes for Blackbird Hundred

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From 7 to 12 A. M.
AT R. S. CARPENTER'S STORE, IN PORT PENN,
SATURDAY, FEB 28th, 1914
From 9 to 11 A. M.
A. G. COX'S OFFICE, MIDDLETOWN
SATURDAY, FEB. 28th, 1914
From 2 to 5 o'clock P. M.

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GEORGE E. RHODES,
Collector of Taxes for St. Georges Hundred

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—OF—
APPOQUINIMINK HUNDRED

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ON SATURDAY,
THE 28TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1914, at 10 o'clock, A. M.
the following described Real Estate viz:

All of a certain lot or piece of land situate in the City of Wilmington, aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the Southerly side of Peoples street at the distance of fifty feet Westerly from the Westerly side of Dure street; thence Southerly parallel with Dure street, sixty feet to a corner; thence Westerly, parallel with Peoples street, one hundred and seven feet to another corner; thence Northerly, parallel with Dure street, sixty feet to a point in the side of Peoples street; thence thereby Easterly along said side of Peoples street one hundred and seven feet to the place of beginning.

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All of a certain lot or piece of land situate in the city of Wilmington aforesaid bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Thatcher street, at the distance of one hundred, and two feet northerly from the northerly side of Fourteenth street; thence easterly and parallel with Fourteenth street, eighty-seven feet and six inches to a corner; thence northerly parallel with Heald and Thatcher streets, seventy-five feet to a corner; thence westerly and parallel with Fourteenth street, eighty-seven feet and six inches to the said easterly side of Thatcher street; and thence thereby southerly seventy-five feet to the place of beginning.

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All that certain lot or piece of land situate in the City of Wilmington aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

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Beginning on the Southerly side of Eleventh street, at the distance of one hundred and twenty feet from the westerly side of Lincoln street; thence southerly, and parallel with Lincoln street one hundred feet to a stake; thence westerly and parallel with Eleventh street forty feet to a stake; thence northerly and parallel with Lincoln street, one hundred feet to the said side of Eleventh street and thence thereby westerly forty feet to the place of beginning.

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THE 28TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1914, at 10 o'clock, A. M.,
the following described Real Estate viz:

All of a certain lot or piece of land, situate in the City of Wilmington, aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a stake in the Easterly side of Lincoln street, at the Southerly side of Tenth street; thence Westerly along said side of Tenth street sixty feet to a stake; thence Southerly, parallel with Lincoln street one hundred feet to a stake; thence Easterly, parallel with Tenth street sixty feet to a stake in the Westerly side of Lincoln street; thence Northerly along said side of Lincoln street one hundred feet to the place of beginning.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of John Opperman and to be sold by

WALTER S. BURRIS, Sheriff.
Sheriff's office, Wilmington, Del. February 12, 1914.

For Sale
PERCHERON STALLION
coming 5 years old, grey in color, quiet and alright. Also registered
Holstein Friesian Bull Calves
From my celebrated herd.
Address,
CHARLES MEGGINSON,
New Castle, Del.

Sheriff's Sales

SHERIFF'S SALE—BY VIRTUE OF a writ of Levari Facies, to me directed will be exposed to Public sale at the Court House, on Market street, between Tenth and Eleventh streets, in the city of Wilmington, New Castle county, Delaware,
ON SATURDAY,
THE 28TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1914, at 10 o'clock, A. M.
the following described Real Estate, viz:

All that certain lot or parcel of land situate in Brandywine hundred New Castle County and State of Delaware, bounded and described as follows, to-wit,

Beginning at the intersection of the southeasterly side of Third street with the southwesterly side of Lore avenue as the same is laid down on plot of Gordon Heights, recorded in the office for the Recorder of Deeds, etc., thence southwesterly by the said side of Third street one hundred feet; thence southeasterly, parallel with Lore avenue, two hundred and fifty feet to the northwesterly side of Second street, thence northeasterly along the said side of Second street, one hundred feet to the said side of Lore avenue, and thence thereby northwesterly two hundred and fifty feet to the place of beginning, be the contents thereof what they may, together with the buildings, excepting thereout the bed of all the avenues and streets, as laid out on the said plot of Gordon Heights, but expressly including the right-of-way, use and privilege of all of said avenues and and streets, also the right of way, use and privilege of an avenue forty feet wide, leading from the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore Railroad, along land of Michael Andress to low water mark on the Delaware river front in common with others entitled thereto, forever, being the same lands and premises which George R. Townsend Company, a corporation of the State of Delaware, by Indenture, dated April 4th, 1910, and of record in the office for the Recording of Deeds, Etc., at Wilmington, in and for New Castle County in Deed Record "U,," Volume 22, Page 205, granted and conveyed unto Musa K. Branch, party hereto in fee. This is not a purchase money mortgage, but is given and held subject to a lien of a prior mortage of twenty-two hundred dollars ($2,200.00), dated January 19th, A. D. 1912, held by the National Real Estate Trust Company, a corporation of the State of Delaware on a part of the land covered by this indenture.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Musa K. Branch, and John A. Branch, her husband, mortgagors, and to be sold by

WALTER S. BURRIS, Sheriff.
Sheriff's office, Wilmington, Del., February 12, 1914.

SHERIFF'S SALE—BY VIRTUE OF a writ of Levari Facias, to me directed, will be exposed to public sale at the Court House, on Market street, between Tenth and Eleventh streets, in the city of Wilmington, New Castle county, Delaware,
ON SATURDAY
THE 28TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1914 at 10 o'clock, a. m.,
the following described Real Estate, viz:

All that certain lot or piece of land, with the dwelling house thereon erected situate in the city of Wilmington, New Castle county and State of Delaware bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Twelfth street, at the distance of 20 ft. easterly from the easterly side of Lincoln st; thence easterly along said side of Twelfth street twenty feet to a corner; thence southerly parallel with Lincoln street 100 feet 3 inches to a corner, thence westerly, parallel with Twelfth street, twenty feet to a point; thence thereby northerly, parallel with Lincoln street, one hundred feet, three inches to the place of beginning, be the contents thereof what they may.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Delaware Construction Company, a corporation of the State of Deiaware, and Horace H. Thayer, Jr., receiver, and to be sold by

WALTER S. BURRIS, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Wilmington, Del., February 12, 1914.

SHERIFF'S SALE—BY VIRTUE OF a writ of Levari Facias, to me directed will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House, on Market street between Tenth and Eleventh streets, in the city of Wilmington, New Castle county, Delaware,
ON SATURDAY,
THE 28TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1914, at 10 o'clock, a. m.,
the following described Real Estate, viz:

All of a certain lot or piece of land, situate in the city of Wilmington, aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Walnut street, between Eleventh and Twelfth streets, at the distance of forty-five feet southerly from the southerly side of Twelfth street; thence westerly parallel with Twelfth street, one hundred feet to the easterly side of Elizabeth street, thence by said easterly side of Elizabeth street southerly thirty feet to a stake; thence easterly, parallel with Twelfth street, one hundred feet to the aforesaid westerly side of Walnut street; and thence thereby northerly thirty feet, to the place of beginning.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of John W. Bird, administrator, d. b. n. c. t. a. of Daniel B. Anderson, deceased, and to be sold by

WALTER S. BURRIS Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Wilmington, Del., February 12, 1914.

SHERIFF'S SALE—BY VIRTUE OF a writ of Lev. Fa. to me directed, will be exposed to Public Sale at the Court House, on Market Street, between Tenth and Eleventh Streets, in the city of Wilmington, New Castle county, Delaware,
ON SATURDAY
THE 28TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1914 at 10 o'clock a. m.,
the following described Real Estate viz:

All of a certain lot or piece of land situate in the City of Wilmington aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Thatcher street at the distance of one hundred and thirty-three feet southerly from the Southerly side of Fourteenth Street; thence easterly parallel with Fourteenth Street, eighty-seven feet and six inches to a corner; thence Southerly, parallel with Thatcher street thirty-six feet to a corner; thence Westerly, parallel with Fourteenth Street, ninety-seven feet and six inches to a point on the Easterly side of Thatcher street, and thence thereby northerly thirty-six feet to the place of beginning.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Lillie E. Coyle Reed and to be sold by

WALTER S. BURRIS, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Wilmington, Del., February 12, 1914.

DR. WARREN S. P. COMBS
DENTIST
MIDDLETOWN, DEL
(Office of the late Dr. Stites)

Sheriff's Sales

SHERIFF'S SALE—BY VIRTUE OF a writ of Levari Facias, to me directed, will be exposed to Public sale at the Court House on Market street between Tenth and Eleventh streets, in the city of Wilmington, New Castle county, Delaware,
ON SATURDAY,
THE 28TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1914, at 10 o'clock, a. m.,
the following described Real Estate viz:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the two-story brick dwelling house thereon erected situate in the city of Wilmington, aforesaid, and bouuded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a corner formed by the intersection of the southeasterly side of Washington street, with the northeasterly side of Thirtieth street; thence southeastwardly along the said northeasterly side of Thirtieth street, twenty-one feet to a corner; thence northeastwardly, parallel with Washington street, fifty-eight feet to a corner; thence northwestwardly, parallel with Thirtieth street, twenty-one feet to the aforesaid southeasterly side of Washington street and thence thereby southwestwardly fifty-eight feet, to the place of beginning, be the contents thereof within these bounds, what they may.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Delaware Construction Company, a corporation existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, mortgagor, and Horace H. Thayer, Jr., receiver of said Delaware Construction Company, t. t., and to be sold by

WALTER S. BURRIS, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Wilmington, Del., February, 12, 1914.

SHERIFF'S SALE—BY VIRTUE OF a writ of Levari Facias, to me directed, will be exposed to Public Sale, at the Court House, on Market street, between Tenth and Eleventh streets, in the city of Wilmington, New Castle county, Delaware,
ON SATURDAY,
THE 28TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1914 at 10 o'clock, a. m.,
the following described Real Estate viz:

All of a certain lot or piece of land situate in the City of Wilmington aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Heald street at the distance of Ninety-three feet southerly from the southerly side of Fourteenth street; thence westerly, parallel with Fourteenth street, eighty-seven feet and six inches to a corner; thence southerly, parallel with Heald street, twenty-five feet to a corner; thence easterly, parallel with Fourteenth street, eighty-seven feet and six inches to the aforesaid side of Heald street; and thence thereby northerly twenty-five feet to the place of beginning.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Ridgeway Brown, and to be sold by

WALTER S. BURRIS, Sheriff,
Sheriff's Office, Wilmington, Del., February 12, 1914.

SHERIFF'S SALE—BY VIRTUE OF a writ of Levari Facias, to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House, on Market street, between Tenth and Eleventh streets, in the city of Wilmington, New Castle county, Delaware,
ON SATURDAY,
THE 28TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1914, at 10 o'clock, a. m.,
the following described Real Estate, viz:

All that certain lot or piece of land, situate in the city of Wilmington, aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to-wit.

Beginning at the easterly side of Union street, between Ninth and Tenth streets, at the distance of one hundred and three feet and three inches from the northerly side of Ninth street; thence easterly and parallel with Ninth street, one hundred feet, thence northerly, parallel with Union street, fifty-one feet; thence westerly, parallel with Ninth street one hundred feet to the easterly side of Union street, and thence thereby southerly, fifty-one feet to the place of beginning

Seized and taken in execution as the property of William B. Clerk, and to be sold by

WALTER S. BURRIS, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Wilmington, Del., February 12, 1914.